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the 16th and 17th,
at the store of

DINGES & COOP.

WEDNESDAY EVE., FEB. 16, 1887.

LOCAL NEWS.

For presents look through the man-
nifestation at
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.

JUSTIN MCCARTHY February 17th.

PRAYER meetings this evening.

"Dollars and Dimes" show will
visit us next week.

It was just cold enough last night to
freeze a little bit.

GEORGE PECK, formerly with Norman,
is now the proprietor of a barber shop at
Cerro Gordo.

BRECK IRWIN entertained the Qui Vive
club last night.

DEAL at Niedermeyer's cash grocery
store on the Mon. Order goods by
telephone.

JOHN R. WILLIAMS, town clerk, is now
doing clerical work in the circuit clerk's
office, and will be there indefinitely.

A MARRIAGE license was issued to-day
to Albert Fox and Miss Mary M. Weikle,
of Liberty Point township.

MISS MARGIE KEARNEY has removed to
No. 322 South Main street, 3d house
from Imboden's meat market. 114-461*

JULIUS H. KAYNALL, who sold his resi-
dence property for \$2150, has bought a
vacant lot of W. B. Newell on Wood
street, west of Monroe; consideration
\$700. He will put up a new dwelling
in the spring. The frontage is 40 feet.

The Social Club will give a grand mas-
querade ball at the Quaker's armory on
Thursday, February 17. Everybody in-
vited, but no improper characters admit-
ted. 114-4

In the county court, Tuesday Miss
Mary Archer, daughter of John Archer,
was adjudged temporarily insane.

A LARGES quantity of the Magic Carpet
Sweepers, for One Dollar only, at
LINN & SCRUGGS.

PRACHING at the Baptist church to-
night by the pastor. After the sermon
the ordinance of baptism will be admin-
istered.

Bry a Haworth from Feltow Wagon,
last night.

While in Decatur yesterday Dr. W. S.
Rudy ordered the daily REPUBLICAN sent
to his address at Bennett.

TRY J. Hatfield & Co.'s celebrated
White Foam flour. You will like it.

THOMAS SMALLWOOD, aged 70 years,
a relative of J. P. Smallwood, was recently
killed by a boiler explosion at Cabool,
Mo.

OYSTERS in bulk and choice Vienna
bread and buns every day at J. Lytle &
Co.'s grocery store.

TELEPHONE to A. J. Smith & Son, on
North Water street, for Nicker butter
and family groceries.

It cost Chicago \$10,000 to get Mike
Kelly from the Chicago team.

SEE Kneale & Osborn, the popular
young grocers on Water street. They
fill all orders promptly and deliver to all
parts of the city.

TUESDAY the funeral of the late Dr. J.
H. Axton took place from the Presby-
terian church in Marion. He lived in that
town for many years, and scores of old
friends attended the services.

ASK for Shellbaker's White Foam
and Daily Bread flour. All grocers sell
it.

SELECT family supplies, the best in the
city, at Hunka & Patterson's grocery
store, 143 South Water street.

J. M. Hery sets a fine lunch at his
place, just north of Millikin's bank.

ARTISTICALLY cut and made Children's
Overcoats, at reasonable figures, in latest
styles, at Stine's.

FOR first-class Upholstery, furniture
repairing, carpet laying, awnings, tents,
wagon covers, etc., go to A. E. Ber,
southeast corner old square. feb188m

GERR's fine Neckwear, latest styles, at
B. Stine's.

FOR sale by Spencer, Lehman & Co.,
the New Deal Wheel Walking Clog.
The lightest draft and the most perfect
paw made. 110-22m.

THE new Smoke House with 20 rooms
is at 914 East Eldorado street. New beds,
new furniture everything new. Trans-
ients, \$1.00 a day; week boarders, \$4.00;
day boarders, \$3.50. Henry Smuck in
charge. 25-11m

As a toilet article, Ayer's Hair Vigor
stands unrivaled. It cleanses the scalp
and removes dandruff, cures itching
humors, restores original color to faded
and gray hair, and promotes its growth.

Pay Your Taxes.
The taxes for 1886 are now due, and as
the time for collection is short, it is ne-
cessary that tax-payers should come for-
ward without delay. Office with Mills
Bros., over Linn & Scruggs' store. Office
hours, from 8 a. m. to 8:30 p. m.
feb1-22m H. MAHANNAH, Collector.

OYSTERS and meals at J. M. Huff's,
just three doors north of Millikin's bank

FRESH Oysters at J. M. Huff's restau-
rant, just north of Millikin's bank.

Boys' Jersey Caps at 10c at B. Stine's.

200 SYRINA RUOS, at \$2.50, worth
four dollars. 1500 also, at \$3.50, worth
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Plain Words About the Chilly Land
—Stay at Home.

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condition by going to Dakota. Occasion-
ally some farmer goes to that territory,
which aspires to become a state, but he
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ious descriptions of the country are given,
but they are always written in the sweet
summer time. Here is the other side of
the picture, written by a farmer from
Vernon county, who has the

WINTER BLAST AT DAKOTA
published in the Danville Commercial of
this week:

When in old Illinois we longed for a
dry country; here in Dakota it strikes us
that a little drowning is far better than
drying up. We wanted to leave there
and go where we could raise wheat; now
we say, "Darn wheat at 10 or 15 bushels
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thought the novelty of traveling it would
repay us for the hardships; boys, the nov-
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told before coming here that stock would
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their tails and hind feet sticking up while
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Some one of our wise senators said a
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AT THE WHITE FRONT

Would be pleased to get so-called Factory Prices for OLD GOODS, but he don't ask it. See! Look! Behold! the prices for New Goods:

- 2 Washing Shirts for 75c.
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